

LODGE WOULD GO SLOW ON FIVE OF PEACE POINTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Declaring President Wilson's league of nation ideas "captivating and attractive" Senator Lodge Republican floor leader, today seriously questioned its practicability as a working plan to affect the world. Lodge declared it would only tend to "embarrass the peace we ought to make at once with Germany."

He followed with a series of questions as to who would be members of the league. Whether Germany is to be included and whether the small nations are to have a vote equal to the larger ones. Lodge advised delay in discussing these five of the President's fourteen peace terms until satisfactory and binding peace treaty had been signed: League of nations, freedom of the seas, secret diplomacy, economic barriers, and reduction of armament.

Declaring that "Germany did not change its nature the night the Kaiser ran away to Holland," Lodge demanded that a peace treaty be backed with a physical guarantee that would make it impossible for that country to "break out again upon the world with her conquest."

PERMANENT REORGANIZATION OF ARMY ARE NOW DEMOBILIZING 30,000 PER DAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Reorganization of the United States army to permanent lines has been started. Major General Chas. T. Menoher, formerly commander of the Rainbow Division and now commander of the Sixth corps, has been named by Chief of Staff March as director of the aerial service. Menoher is now on his way home, but pending his arrival Col. John James Morris will be acting director of the service. This reorganization is continuing upon the resignations of Secretary Ryan and Wm. C. Potter, head of the air service.

General March announced these facts today and at the same time confirmed Secretary of War Baker's announcement yesterday that the 30,000 daily demobilization rate had been reached in this country basic on a six day week. For the week ending December 14, camps in this country discharged 188,552 men. This makes a total of over 300,000 demobilized. Officers discharged number 26,903.

In this connection March pointed out that in 1916 the army register listed only 4,840 officers in the whole army.

General Menoher, whose home is in Johnstown, Pa., was commander of the Rainbow Division during its earliest and hardest fighting in France.

SPAIN FOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS

By HENRY WOOD

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Spain to the last man favors a league of nations, Premier Romanones declared in an interview with the United Press today. "Spain recognizes that a league of nations is the only salvation for the small nations," the Premier declared. "One-half of the nation's budget consists of war expenses. If there is a league of nations this money could be used for industry and other purposes."

SINK FLEET STORY ALL BUNK

By FRED J. TAYLOR

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, Dec. 21.—The report that the American commission has decided to advocate sinking of the German fleet is "pure bunk," a high authority told the United Press today. Subsequent suggestions regarding the German fleet and the disposing of it are among the chief pastimes here at present. Also the fate of the Kaiser is under discussion. As a matter of fact nothing in regard to either has been decided upon as yet. A great number of proposals have been received but they have not yet even been thoroughly worked out.

GIRL MURDERER CONFESSES

Empire, N. Y., Dec. 21.—Mildred Gunderman, aged 16 today told the authorities that she murdered Leo Martin her 15 years old sweetheart last September for \$100 it was announced by the police. She previously admitted her guilt after having been arrested for running away from home the police allege. The money she declared was given her by a man in Youngstown, Ohio, where the alleged crime was committed in order to remove Martin so he could have her attentions alone, and the girl was also jealous of Martin's attentions to another girl and wanted revenge. Further details of the life of the child were revealed in her talk with local authorities. She declared she had married Donald Dunn a soldier of Columbus, Ohio, November 12, 1917 and lived with him until January, 1918.

INTRODUCTORY PRICES

Fitch's Famous Goods. Tonique Superbe. Dandruff remover. Lilac Royal. Also Hynd's Antiseptic Skin Tonic. See window display. WHITE CROSS BARBER SHOP Next door to Jordan's D21-4tp

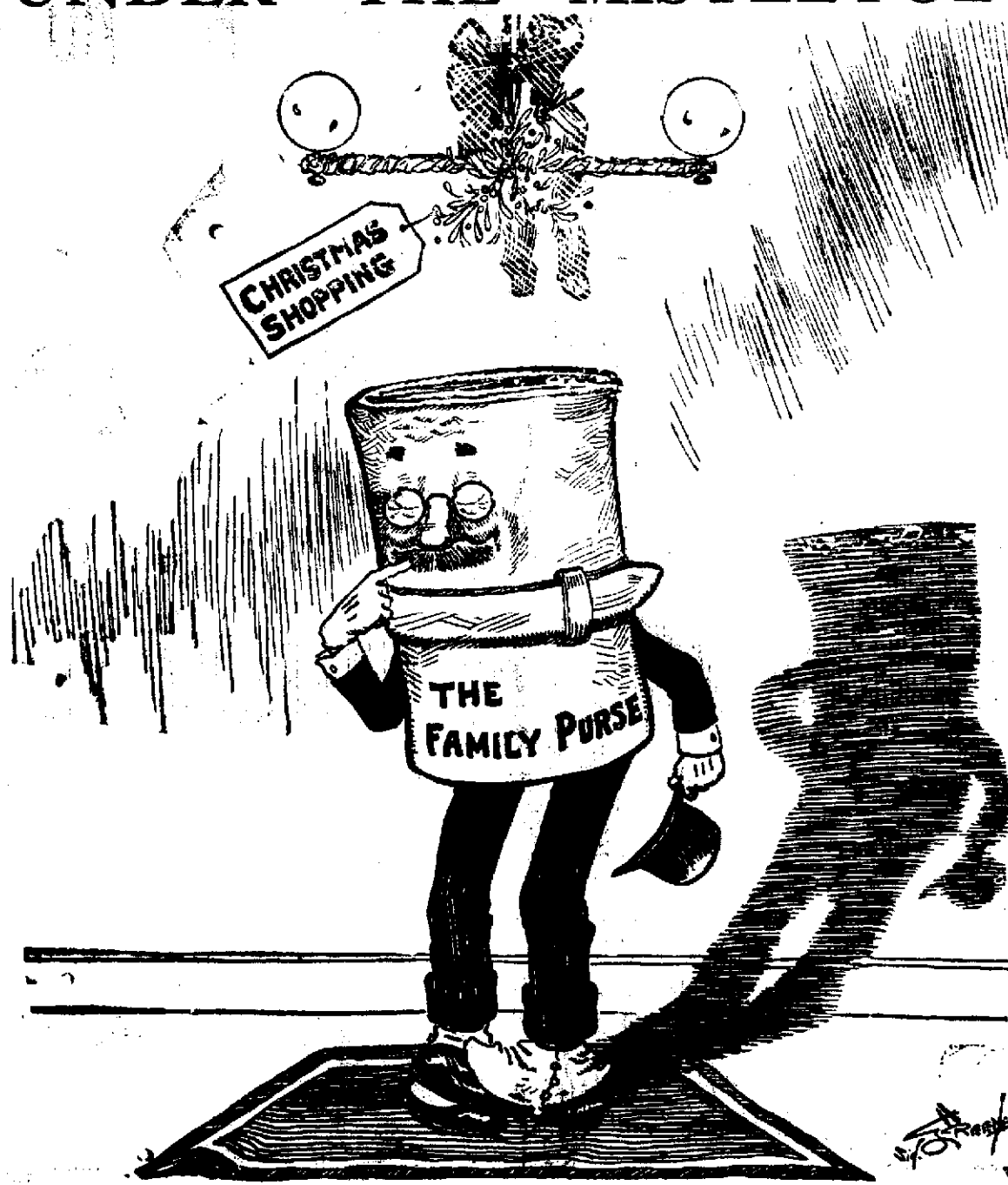
ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

At a dinner given by Miss Julia Miller at her home on West Front street yesterday afternoon the engagement of Miss Margaret Wrigley to T. Reilly Lytle was announced. The table was tastefully decorated in Xmas decoration and in military effect. Ten guests were present and the afternoon was spent in knitting. Miss Margaret Wrigley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wrigley of Front street and Reilly Lytle is the son of J. G. Lytle, and is now stationed at Brooklyn Navy Yard.

ALFRED M. ELLIS

The death angel entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ellis on Locust street at an early hour this morning and removed therefrom their bright and interesting little son Alfred M. Ellis, aged about five years. Four members of the family have been suffering with influenza the past week and little Alfred developed meningitis which caused his death.

UNDER THE MISTLETOE



—N. Y. Evening Telegram

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY AT TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

Trinity Methodist church welcomes the return of her victorious soldier boys. Of the eighty-two (82) young people from this congregation who were with the colors several have been mustered out of the service and have arrived home. They will receive a cordial welcome at their home church tomorrow. The large group of young men and women who have been in college and others engaged in war work who are home for the holidays will also be warmly greeted. Strangers and visitors are welcomed to all the services.

The program for Sunday begins with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The attendance last Sunday indicated that the grip of the epidemic in this community is loosening up. At the morning hour for public worship the great Christmas hymns will be sung. The choir will sing specially prepared anthems and Dr. Hartman will preach on "Peace and Good Will."

The Epworth League service will be in charge of Howard Steward and special features will make this a profitable hour for the young people. Gaul's sacred cantata "The Holy City" will be sung by a choir of twenty-four voices in the evening. The members and friends of the church will not want to miss any of the joyous services of Christmas Sunday.

RED CROSS MEMBERSHIPS

It is believed that every patriotic American wants his name enrolled as a member of the American Red Cross and as many of our good people were not at their homes when the canvassers called during the past week they are now requested to call at either of the banks where booths have been set up or at Red Cross headquarters, Murray building and enroll—all you need is a heart and a dollar.

WELCOME CHRISTMAS GIFT

A. W. Leonarson received a welcome Christmas gift this morning in the shape of a cablegram from his brother Lew who has been in France doing battle for his Uncle Sammy for some time.

The Merry Christmas wishes are doubly acceptable in view of the fact that this is the first news that has been received from Lew for a long time. He was too busy chasing the Hun in the last drive to think of things other than those pertaining to the grim needs of war.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:30 Morning Worship. Organ Prelude, "Queen of Sheba" Gounod Anthem "Jesus Is Born a King" Brown Hymn, "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear" Rebekah Smith, Solo Hymn, "The Christ Child" Coombs Anthem, "The Christ Child" Mrs. Reeve, solo Offertory, "Christmas Song of Joy" Christmas Sermon, "Peace on Earth" Dr. Reeve Anthem, "Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning" Solos, Mr. Van Osten, Mrs. Reeve (With organ, piano, and violin accompaniment.) Postlude, "Christmas March" Moeckle

Evening Worship, 7:30 The beautiful cantata "The Shepherds of Bethlehem," by Demarest, will be sung by a chorus of forty-five voices. All who heard this chorus sing at Easter time will know that a treat of music is in store for the public on Sabbath evening.

Program

Organ Prelude, "Festival Prelude" Grimas "Holy Night, Silent Night" Chorus The Cantata, "THE SHEPHERDS OF BETHLEHEM" Demarest 1. Introduction, organ and piano, "The Plains of Bethlehem" Alice Smith, Margaret Wrigley 2. "The Holy Night Is Falling" Chorus 3. "Messiah" Solo Mr. Van Osten 4. "On That Holy Night" Solos Miss McGee, Mr. Van Osten 5. Shepherds Chorus Tenors and Basses 6. "Fear Not Ye" Solo Mrs. Walter Sohn 7. "Glory To God In The Highest" Chorus 8. "Oh, Where Shall We Behold Him" Duo Mr. Sohn, Mr. Van Osten 9. "God Hath Appointed Him" Solo Mrs. Reeve 10. Chorus of Shepherds "Toward Bethlehem We Turn Our Feet" Solo 11. "Art Thou He" Solo George W. Weaver 12. "This Is The Christ, The Lord of Life" Chorus Offertory, "The Shepherds Pipe" Harris Anthem, "The Glad Tidings" Chorus Finale Postlude Grand March "Lenore Symphony" Hoff

WEST SIDE M. E. CHURCH NOTES

An appropriate Christmas sermon will be preached by the pastor on Sunday morning.

The new balcony has been completed and we now can accommodate nearly double the attendance than formerly. Come out and hear this Christmas message that the pastor has for you.

On Christmas night the choir will render the beautiful cantata "Bright and Morning Star" by Wilson. The libretto takes up first, the prophecy of the Christ's birth and then follows with the march of the Wise Men and discovery of the Christ-child in the manger at Bethlehem, ending up with a paean of praise of the people who welcome the fulfillment of the prophecies handed down to them by the seers.

Owing to the virulence of the influenza on the West Side and the reluctance of the people to gather in crowds it has been decided that the rendition of the cantata will form the basis of the observance of the Christmas season.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Corner Dorey and Seventh Streets Rev. W. A. Wissinger, Pastor 9:45 Sabbath School.

11:00 Preaching Services.

Subject, "The Heavenly Chorus."

2:00 Jr. C. E. Society.

6:30 Sr. C. E. Society.

7:30 Preaching Services.

Subject, "A New Kingdom."

The quarantine has been lifted from the parsonage, and the pastor will preach both morning and evening. All members are urged to be present at all services.

"Come let us extol His name together."

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. C. W. Baker, Pastor

9:15 Sunday School.

10:30 Church Service.

"The Lord is at Hand."

6:30 Young People's Service.

7:30 Divine Worship.

"The Soul and Its Repentance."

7:00 P. M. Wednesday. Christmas cantata, entitled "Bethlehem". Forty people in the cast. You will enjoy it.

Probably the first woman to be chairman of a state political convention in the United States was Rev. Henriette G. Moore who presided over the Ohio State Prohibition convention in 1895.

CASUALTY LIST DELAY IS CAUSING MUCH CONCERN

Washington, Dec. 19.—Casualties of the American expeditionary forces which have not been published but which have been announced officially by General Pershing had been reduced yesterday to 66,892. These the war department announced today. were classified as follows:

Major casualties, including killed in action, died of wounds, died of disease and died of other causes, 1,680; wounded, 64,862; missing and prisoners, 350.

A large proportion of the names listed as wounded are minor cases, it was said, many patients having long since recovered and returned to duty. Officials explained that the total is really less, because General Pershing's figures included marine casualties of 1,202 killed and more than 4,000 wounded, which already have been published by the Marine Corps headquarters.

The wide-spread comment on the enormous casualty lists now being published—five weeks after the signing of the armistice—has not reached the stage of criticism and complaint.

But it is distinctly a sad sensation. Nobody had any idea of the mortalities and casualties of those final battles of Armageddon in which the American forces had baptism in seas of blood. We do not know yet just how deadly was the toll of life in those final battles which saved the day for the Allies. But we do know that it was far in excess of the expectation or of the imagination of the American people.

There does not seem now to Washington people any basis for adverse comment upon the war department for the suppression or the failure to secure these reports within these five weeks. Nor does any one as yet rise to criticize the department, publicly for the failure to make the statement of fearful casualties at Belleau Wood and along the line of final battle. To do this would have entailed exceptional anxiety and suffering among those who were represented among the heroic marines who bore the brunt and spilled the lavish blood of those desperate battles.

So far the criticism and complaint has been confined to those who were long delayed in receiving news of fatalities that involved their loved ones, and to whom the final announcement came with such terrible sorrow because it was kept from them so long.

Among these stands over Mr. Manning of South Carolina, with six sons in the fighting ranks of the army. It was weeks before Governor Manning heard of the fatal wound of his third son, William, who was one of the brilliant heroes of the National Press gallery. It is understood that Governor Manning carried the major in stern complaint to the war department two days ago.

Even more striking is the case of the adjutant general of the army, Peter F. Harris. Only two days ago General Harris heard his son killed of wounds in a German prison, and the shock was severe. But the gallant soldier said no word.

Part of the trouble seems due to the unreliability of the cables. Four messages were sent to General Clarence Edwards in Paris announcing the illness, the improvement, the relapse and the death of his daughter from influenza. But the first news that ever reached the distinguished soldier was a paragraph in an English edition of a Paris newspaper.

Twenty cable messages were sent to Senator J. Davis Elkins, of West Virginia, announcing his election on November 5. He did not hear of his success until December 4—one month later. Whether this was one of the reasons for the government assumption of the cable lines is not known, but the conditions do not so far seem improved under government control.

General George Barnett made a sensation along this line today at his hearing before the Naval Committee of the House.

General Barnett stated that out of 8,500 marines engaged at Belleau wood, the actual casualties were 5,720, although only 3,500 have been officially reported. It was after that battle that General Pershing requested and was given 10,000 men for marine replacements.

General Barnett mingled his regrets with pardonable pride in the unsurpassed bravery of his marines during the war. He said:

"The account of the marines in France, forms a story of almost

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NOVEMBER ELECTION COST SOME MONEY

According to the statements of the different candidates and party organization treasurers, filed with Protholary Moore, it cost more than one dollar per head to poll the nearly nine thousand votes cast in Clearfield county at the November election.

The exact total, according to sworn figures, of the election's cost to the candidates and their supporters, amounts to \$9,135.64.

The law requiring the filing of these statements is styled the "Corrupt Practices Act" and was placed upon the statute books ostensibly to make bribery or vote buying impossible and also to eliminate that detestable skunk, the political grafter or heeler from politics. That neither advantage has been derived is very well known to everybody familiar with the circumstances surrounding almost every campaign in Clearfield county since the law became effective.

Ordinarily when a candidate in a crushing fight gives his sworn statement of actual expenses, the statement always feels safe in saying "the half has not been told". It seems to be ever thus and no doubt will so continue until some fellow is caught in the act and made an example of or a new and more stringent law is made for the eradication of the evil.

Some of the expense accounts filed in recent years make interesting reading, in that they show up the grafters in the different districts, and by grafters we mean the fellow who holds up each and every candidate he runs across and "bleeds him" for money. Fortunately the law in question has driven many of these fellows out of business or they are able to induce their victims to refrain from placing their names upon the expense account and simply list them under a general heading without giving particulars.

This election furnished a glaring instance of a "commercial politician" who asked for nothing but the money regardless of circumstances, age, sex, conditions, former or present political belief or anything else that would prevent him from getting the "long green". This fellow's name appears upon the expense account of every candidate and organization treasurer, who would hold still or give up. He is none other than Billy Tunstall, of DuBois and Sandy township, ex-laborer, man, laboring man's friend, Socialist, non-partisan anti-work disciple, etc., etc.

Billy was tramping around over the country last fall making speeches he said at the request of somebody down in Washington. If that was true whoever started him out was pretty mad at Clearfield county alright. He appeared on the Court House corner a couple of times. The last time we overheard a regular say "there's that dampfool spouting again". We rose right up here and now to challenge that statement. Tongue-tied was no "dampfool," he knew what he was at. Look at the listed contributions.

Treasurer Hiller, of the Republican County Organization, paid Wm. Tunstall \$170 for "disseminating information". Matt Savage, Democratic candidate for State Senator, loaned to Tunstall to the amount of \$25. His Republican opponent for the same office, Dr. S. J. Miller, gave up \$20 to Tunstall in \$10 lots. Even Joe Phillips was induced by Willie's winning ways to separate himself from \$12 which went down into the same deep, dark pocket with the other wads. Tunstall's net Republican and Democratic gains thus total \$225. Several of the candidates spent less than \$50 and we have no way of finding out whether Billy hoarded in on any of these homopathic accounts, but if he didn't it wasn't his fault.

Following is a list of the expense accounts filed:

Congress	
Evan Jones, R.	\$2,197.91
W. E. Tobias, D.	\$1,722.91
Jones received no contributions beyond while Tobias was given \$1300 by the State and National Organizations.	
State Senator	
S. J. Miller, R.	\$99.65
Matt Savage, D.	\$155
Savage received \$155 in contributions.	
Legislature	
Joseph E. Phillips, R.	\$82.00
W. J. Hoover, D.	\$143.55
County Organizations	
F. J. Hiller, Rep. Treasurer	\$2,777.00
J. Fred Weaver, Dem. Treas.	\$1,812.62
The Democrats were frugal enough to quit with \$310.38 on hands.	
Charles P. Taft, Cincinnati newspaper publisher and brother of former President Taft is 75 years old today.	

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SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 21, 1918.

DEATH OF MISS HOLDEN AT CURWENSVILLE

Another of those sad deaths that have been so numerous recorded during the past two months took place in Curwensville Friday morning when Miss Lou Holden passed away after a week's illness of pneumonia following influenza. Miss Holden had been chief of the Bell telephone office at Curwensville for a number of years and by her fine personality and attendance to duty in her position had won the esteem and confidence of hundreds of people all through Central Pennsylvania. To be courteous and accommodating to the patrons of her office was her constant aim and many a heart will be saddened by her death. The death of her father (William Holden) about fifteen years ago, placed upon her the necessity of caring for her mother and a young brother; how she rose to the occasion and accomplished her task is a story only too well-known by all who knew her. Her cheerful disposition, her care for those she held most dear and her dealings with those in public life with whom she came in contact in her daily work have left memories that will never die. Her funeral will take place from the family home in Curwensville next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be in the cemetery at that place.

DIAMONDS COME HIGHER

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The young man who gives his chosen one a diamond engagement ring, or the older man who is going to surprise his wife with a pendant or other diamond ornament as a Christmas present will have to draw on his bank account to a greater extent this year than ever before. Diamonds are high in price and are going higher. The increase is due to the combined shortage and extraordinary demand.

Diamond dealers in Maiden Lane declare the situation is becoming critical. They declare the shortage is awful—something like \$150,000,000 worth. And people are simply groaning for diamonds.

An inquiry among the prominent dealers confirms the report that there is an extraordinary demand for diamonds, which cannot be met by the present supply. When the war broke out the South African mines were shut down for eighteen months; hence the shortage. On top of this comes the extra demand from thousands of people on both sides of the Atlantic who have been made rich by the war.

Generally speaking, diamonds are now quoted at from 40 to 50 per cent advance over the pre-war prices, and the opinion is that the prices will continue to rise.

I saw it in The Progress.

GLAD

Yes, how glad you'll be next Christmas if you put a little money each week into our

1919 CHRISTMAS SAVINGS CLUB

It is made up of people of foresight who'll have money when they want it most. Our cheery Christmas checks coming along just at the right time will take much of the usual short-of-money burden. Drop in and ask us about it. You can bring the deposit yourself, send it by mail or messenger—it's easy—we do all the work.

Why not be among the first to join?



NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Ten influenza cards were removed from homes yesterday, thereby releasing those who were confined to their homes for a week or so. Some five new cases were reported, all on the outskirts of the borough however.

Painters are engaged in putting on the finishing touches of paint and fresco work on the three Orle Norris new dwelling houses on Thompson street.

Mrs. Delaney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter of the Park House, is ill with an attack of typhoid fever in Pittsburgh. She was visiting with friends in that city when stricken with the disease.

Curwensville industries are somewhat handicapped in getting out their output on account of so many of their men being afflicted with the flu or being quarantined at home on account of some of their family being down with it.

George Richards, who conducts an automobile tire repair shop, was taken down ill yesterday morning.

Printer Fred P. Robison and little son were reported yesterday as being attacked by the influenza.

The Business Men's association has put out notices that a meeting will be held on January 7th for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

Health Officer Weaver has had his house quarantined on account of his little daughter having the flu. This is the second card for him.

Yesterday the emergency hospital, which has been maintained at the Moose rooms for some six weeks was closed, the last patient being removed some time during the evening. That this institution did a good work there is no dispute and some patients were treated there that would have probably died had they been treated at their place of abode. Now just when the town is in the midst of the epidemic and no sign of an abatement of it, the nurses are removed and the rooms dismantled of bedding, etc. Physicians agree that it was a bad time to close it down, even though the expenses of maintaining it was a little more than was anticipated. Yet their opinion in the matter amounted to naught. What the result of the hospitals removal at this particular time will prove remains to be seen, but is predicted that since there is now no place where the real dangerously ill cannot be treated as they were in that institution, the death rate from the epidemic will move than double itself. What does a few paltry dollars amount to to the saving and preserving human life. Dollars can be replaced but a human life, never. The people are about evenly divided on the question as to whether it was a good thing to remove the hospital at this particular time or not, and will await with much anxiety the outcome.

ENTERTAIN THE SICK AND LONELY

WANTED -- Musicians, readers, singers and entertainers of any kind to give entertainment at the hospital for the convalescent and the inmates at the County Home and for free entertainments or Sunday afternoon services at the Y. M. C. A. and benefits for churches and charitable institutions. Any caring to volunteer their services will please phone or hand their names to Sec'y. Graffius at the Y. M. C. A.

All that you do or send into the lives of others comes back into your own.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

G. E. Smith Pastor
10:00 Sunday school
11:00 Morning worship
7:30 Evening worship
The prayer service will be held on Thursday evening instead of Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Arthur D. Draucker died at Reynoldsville in November. He was a former Curwensville boy being born and reared within one mile of town and was the youngest son of the late Bolzer Draucker and was born in 1861. After the lumbering interests waned in this section, he removed to Jefferson county, where he resided until his death. He was a brother of Perry and Frank Draucker, both deceased, and a nephew of Edward Tanager, of this place.

Rev. Joseph Cook who has been pastor of the Baptist church here for several years, left today for Hazelton, accompanied by his family, where he has accepted the pastorate of a church.

The Herald office was not immune against the influenza, the disease invading the office and taking hold of Miss Rosa Williams one of the typists. We are pleased to state that she is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mrs. Frank Bilger residing on Bloomington avenue, died at an early hour Friday morning. Influenza, pneumonia and other complications were the immediate cause of death. Her maiden name was Joy Smith, and she was born and raised near Rockton. Mr. Bilger, the husband, who is manager of the A. & P. store here, brought his family here about a year ago, and he is now in a serious condition from the flu. Her remains will be taken to Greenville cemetery and interred.

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The funeral of Private Minton Salvatore, who died at a Vancouver camp one day last week, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the undertaking room of James Smith, his remains arriving on a Pennsylvania train during the forenoon. It was a military funeral, about twenty of the returned soldier boys following the remains of their comrade to the cemetery. The Crescent cornet band also turned out to do honor to the soldier. A long line of friends of the dead boy followed to pay their last respects to one of their nationality and to one who followed the flag. Deceased was an Italian by birth and was the only one of his family in this country, but one brother and a sister survive him in Italy. No matter what nation he was a United States soldier and deserved the recognition shown his services for this, his adopted home.

Corporals Solomon Robison, Clifford Murray, Privates George Leech, William Lantz and George Ammerman, who were students at the officers training school, Carlisle, are home having been discharged from further service in that capacity.

The body of a child was brought here from Maple Run yesterday and interred in Oak Hill cemetery. The name could not be learned.

Don Ames, employed by the Penn Public company met with an accident Thursday which might have proven fatal. He was working on a high pile when the cross arm broke throwing him to the ground. He suffered no other injuries other than having several ligaments torn from an arm and bruised about the body somewhat.

Frank L. Arnold left for Marysville, Tenn., yesterday where he will spend the holidays with his daughter Mrs. Russell Kramer. Mrs. Arnold has been there for several week.

Messrs. Russell Daub and Victor Dale, two of Curwensville's hustling young men, left for Jacksonville, Fla., last Monday, where they will take up the vocation of enlarging pictures, both of whom are proficient in the art. They will make good in the sunny land of the south.

Burgess Frank Traister and family made a thorough acquaintance of the influenza last week, the entire family being ill with the disease at the same time. We are pleased to state, however, that the danger line has been passed and all are convalescing.

The friends of Miss Miriam Dyer will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her home from an attack of the influenza.

George Fleming and wife returned last Saturday evening from Pittsburgh where they spent a week with friends. Monday "Piney" was taken ill and has been confined to the house since that time battling with a severe and heavy cold.

Henry Snyder, one of the leading farmers of Pike township, died at his home near Olanta yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Bloom at their home on South Pine street, on Friday morning a young son. As this is the first male born in the family, the "Deacon" and his estimable wife are very proud of the little chap.

Eddie Norris who has been fighting the Hun over in France for some months, returned home on Thursday for a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Norris, on George street.

A few weeks ago the serious illness of Wallace A. Bell, who resided in California, was announced in the Curwensville letter. Today it is with sorrow that we are compelled to chronicle his death, which occurred at Meritt hospital near the town in which he lived. His death occurred during the second week in December, after a treatment in the hospital for kidney trouble. He was aged about 44 years, and is survived by a wife and two children. He was buried on Wednesday following his demise, the services being under the auspices of Richmond Lodge No. 13 Knights of Pythias. "Barnum" Bell as he was called in this neighborhood, was a young man who was widely and favorably known in this end of the county and his friends numbered into the hundred column. Thrust out into the world at a tender age to make his own way, he was buffeted about from one family to another until he was large enough to look after himself. Of a kind and genial disposition he made lasting friends wherever he went and retained them until the last.

A few years ago he married a young lady by the name of Bloom and the couple went to California to reside. He was a member of Curwensville were the immediate cause of death. Lodge, K. of P. and of a Mason's Her maiden name was Joy Smith, and she was born and raised near Rockton. Mr. Bilger, the husband, who is manager of the A. & P. store here, brought his family here about a year ago, and he is now in a serious condition from the flu. Her remains will be taken to Greenville cemetery and interred.

William Mitchell of Portcharterbury is spending the week end with friends in town.



No change in the price of Nash passenger cars and trucks before July 1, 1919

In offering Nash products to the public, we have never made price an issue. At this time, however, owing to the various price changes announced in the motor car industry, we wish to call your attention to the fact that Nash products at the present price represent unusual values. Nash prices have never been artificially raised, therefore there will be no change in the Nash price before July 1, 1919.

THE NASH MOTORS COMPANY

Nash Passenger Cars—5-Passenger Car, \$1490 Sedan, \$2250
4-Passenger Roadster, \$1490 4-Passenger Coupe, \$2250
7-Passenger Car, \$1640
Nash Trucks—One-Ton Chassis, \$1650 Two-Ton Chassis, \$2175
Nash Quad Chassis, \$3250
F. O. B. Kenosha.

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NASH MOTORS

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Never before has such a wave of practical gift giving broken upon the throngs of Christmas buyers as this year. It has been heralded from one end of the land to the other and we've heard the call.

This store is brimful of practical gifts—gifts that have not sacrificed beauty in their practicability. And when such gifts are given you are doubly recompensed in knowing that you have carried out the spirit of the season and have furnished joy for many months to come.

The last hours of the Christmas buying, 1918, will be fraught with rush and bustle. This store will be equipped to care for your needs. An augmented sales force, plenty of beautiful, practical gifts and a spirit of service that will make this season's shopping much easier than you expected.

ROSS & WOODS

CASUALTY LIST DETAY IS CAUSING MUCH CONCERN

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continuous fighting from Chateau Thierry to where they helped break the German line at Sedan.

The hardest fighting for the marines, General Barnett said, was at Belleau wood, where one regiment suffered casualties of ninety per cent. with many others suffering forty to fifty per cent. All through the American activities, he stated, marines were used as shock troops and the toll of killed or wounded was largely disproportionate to the personnel or other branches of the service. For bravery in battle, he stated 508 marines have been cited.

The long roll of heroes and martyrs is not yet written, but it is enough to show that in proportion to the time in which they were actually in the war the American troops dared as much and suffered as much and won as much, or more—as any other soldiers of the Allied camps. It is a heroic and dazzling record that should be written and read in London—and in Paris, too.

Classified Ads For Everybody

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Studebaker in good condition at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire of Rev. C. W. Clegg, Curwensville. D18-3t

SHOATS FOR SALE—I have some fine Chester White Shoats, three months old, for sale at the Stone House farm. James Mitchell, Clearfield, Pa. D16-4tc

PROPERTY FOR SALE—Six room house, with kitchen and good sized lot, located in Curwensville, on Sandy avenue. Bargain to quick buyer. Address Mike Ziats, Curwensville, Pa. D19-3tp

FOR SALE—Heavy team, wagons and harness. Have been used in hauling coal. Also have four new mine cars for sale. Inquire of D & M Coal Co., Woodland, Pa. H & C 385-3 D18-3t

WANTED

AUTOMOBILE WANTED—Roadster, open or closed, must be in good condition and reasonable. Address "Roadster" care Progress. D14-6tp

WANTED—Swedish girl for downstairs work and plain cooking, where Swedish girl is kept for chamber work. Address Mrs. H. G. Morgan, 203 Braddock Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. D20-1tp

WOMAN WANTED—To do housework. Apply at once to H & C phone 464L. D17-3tc

WANTED—Woman with one child wants place to keep house. Can give best of references. Ask Progress. D17-3tp

WANTED—Two girls for kitchen work at Clearfield hospital. D17-6tc

WANTED—Kitchen girl at Palace Hotel. D16-5tc

WANTED—A fresh cow. Address Mrs. Peter Coudinet, Leontes Mills. D16-6tc

WANTED—Roomers at 12 South Fifth street. D19-3tp

WANTED—Two women for work at Clearfield laundry. D18-6tc

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Apply at 210 Merrill street, Clearfield, Pa. D18-3tc

LOST

\$10 LOST—When going to work I dropped in the post office the yesterday by way of a check. Reward for return to W. L. C. Clearfield, Pa. D18-3tc

Rt. Rev. John J. Nolan, Catholic bishop of Hartford today completed forty years in the priesthood.

WOOD SHIP YARDS ARE ON BIG DRIVE

(By United Press)

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 20.—Shipyard in the 4th district, United States shipping board, wood ship production branch, comprising the states of Florida, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina, are now on a big drive which will determine the shipbuilding future in this section.

With official announcement from Chairman Edward N. Hurley, of the Shipping Board, that the future of shipbuilding absolutely depended upon the efficiency shown by the various yards, before them, officials are "weeding out" men not proving it.

Now that the emergency need for bottoms has been relieved to some extent, it is pointed out that unless yards in the southeast can show that it is more economical to build wooden ships than composite or steel vessels, yards more accessible to iron mines possibly may be favored in the future.

Whether wooden ships will be built in this district after the hulls now under construction are completed is not known. It was unofficially announced some time ago that a number of "pet" yards would be eliminated from the shipping board's program. To date, however, only a few contracts have been cancelled.

There are 9 yards in the 4th district constructing wooden ships. The first keel was laid Aug. 31, 1917, by the American Shipbuilding corporation, Brunswick, Ga. Since then 23 ships have been launched—an approximate total of 80,500 tons.

Jacksonville has four yards under the shipping board—the Merrill-Stevens Shipbuilding corporation, St. John's River Ship Yard Company, J. M. Murdock, Shipbuilding Co. and the Morey-Thomas Shipbuilding Co. Two other yards here are building ships for private firms.

Savannah has had two yards—the National Shipbuilding Co. and the Terry Shipbuilding Corporation. Both of these concerns are under contract with the shipping board.

At Tampa, the Tampa Lock Co. has shipping board contracts.

Brunswick, Ga., has two yards under contract with the shipping board—the United States Maritime corporation and the American Shipbuilding Co.

LOST—On December 4th a female American foxhound, white with black and tan spots. Collar with license No. 1057. Information as to whereabouts will be appreciated by Thomas Wilsoncroft, R. D. 1, West Decatur, Ga. D21-1tp

FOR SALE—National Cash Register. Register from one cent to nine dollars. Call Park House Curwensville. D18-3tc

MARKET STREET AUTO SALES COMPANY

The formal announcement of the opening of the new office and service station of the Market Street Auto Sales Company at the east end of the Market Street bridge as made in today's issue of The Progress, is the culmination of a business deal that involves a vast outlay of money and entailed a great amount of labor to bring the station up to its standard of efficiency.

The war conditions, which closed the Kupfer Glass factory were taken advantage of by this new and enterprising concern and, after remodeling the large building, they now have a service station that has no peer in the district.

The ground floor is given over to offices, sales rooms and storage space. A completely equipped shop is located in the basement with entrance at the rear of the building, a sturdy runway was erected on the river side of the building and this affords an entrance to the storage space on the second floor. The combined floor space covers nearly half an acre and allows storage of over sixty cars.

A luxurious ladies' rest room has been installed on the ground floor and this will, without doubt be welcomed by tourist.

In a talk with J. L. McGinniss, President and General Manager this morning he makes the following statement:

"When I first became connected with the automobile business it became a hobby with me to render the maximum of service and this new home of ours is the culmination of one of my long held aims."

"We are now ready to render service to townspeople and tourists and render it in the fullest sense of the term."

GRAMPIAN

Our roads at present show what occurs from having little or no work done the past season. They are if most imp. able on the lower sections.

Mrs. E. A. Spencer and daughter, Lena and Alice Spencer, were shopping in Curwensville Monday.

Miss Lucy Spencer, who has been working in Butler, was called home the past week on account of the serious illness of her brother, Lester.

Clarence Kessler, of A. G. Huber of DuBois, was visiting in Clearfield Wednesday.

Miss Rhoda Palmer of Geneva, N. Y. who attended the first woman suffrage convention in 1917.

Will these great artists
sing in your home
on Christmas
morning?



Will Caruso thrill you? Alma Gluck or John McCormack play upon your heart-strings? Harry Lauder regale you with his inimitable fun? Victor Herbert's Orchestra invite you to the lovely cadences of immortal melodies? Sousa stir your good American blood with "The Stars and Stripes Forever"?

The opera, the symphony orchestra, the violin, the piano, the military band, the dance orchestra, the vaudeville stage—the Victrola brings you the shining lights of them all! The foremost artists of the world make Victrola Records exclusively.

Your Christmas will be merrier for the Victrola. And it will be but the beginning of a long and happy companionship between your household and all the master-magicians of music and entertainment.

Come in and let us give you a demonstration.

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PROTECTED HOME CAR...
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ADD A ALGAR...
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Bayonet Attacks.
Trenches,
Barrages,
Mimic Battle

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HEROES
80TH
OF THE
ARGONNE
BATTLE
DIVISION
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IN SIX MASSIVE REELS

Artillery, Infantry,
Ambulances,
Engineers, Ammu-
nition Trains,
Etc.
40,000 Men
In
Action

A PRODUCTION THAT TOOK
EIGHT MONTHS TO
PRODUCE
THE LARGEST CAST EVER
ENSEMBLED IN HOLLYWOOD
PICTURES

COME AND SEE IT
AT THE
DRIGGS OPERA HOUSE
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21st

THE MAKING OF MEN
THE BUILDING OF THE NATION
THE COST OF WAR TO ALL
THE GREATEST COLLECTION
OF WAR MOVIES BOYS
AND GIRLS

DRIGGS OPERA HOUSE DEC. 21st.

PRICES: Main Floor 50c Balcony 25c Plus War Tax

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By Mac & Mac

One Mac



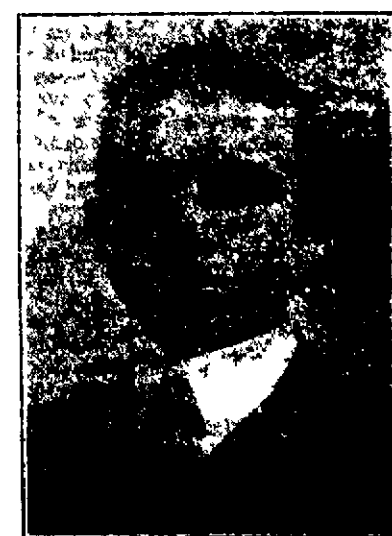
J. L. McGINNIS
Pres. & Gen. Mgr.

**Wherein We Proclaim Open House For The
Host Of Drivers Who You Meet Any Day On
The Clearfield County Roads**

When war conditions made the Kupfer Glass Factory, at the East end of the Market street bridge, available it was only a matter of closing a business deal to get a new home for our family of quality cars.

The needed changes to make this the ideal garage and service station have been completed and, with some additions to the personnel, we have succeeded the LEE GARAGE COMPANY with a new concern the

Another Mac



H. C. McCLOUD
Sec.-Treas.

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A completely equipped shop and skilled mechanics enables us to make repairs with speed and precision. In fact, we positively guarantee the workmanship on even the most complicated of such renewals.

ATLANTIC GASOLINE AT THE CURB

Republic Tires

With a 5,000 Mile Written Guarantee

You are doubly protected on the service to be got on from this famous tire—the makers and the Market Street Auto Sales Company both stand behind the guarantee

Luxurious Ladies' Rest Room

A cozy rest room located on the ground floor is at your service. It is our constant desire that our personnel be the best of the room while in this city.

U. S. L Batteries & Battery Service

You who have had experience with cars know that the satisfaction of having an ideal battery like the USL and a service station that knows the battery from the start to the time it is delivering a steady flow of power, will appreciate this feature of our service-giving home.

Spacious Car Storage

Two floors, covering nearly half an acre, provide ample storage space for a large number of cars.

MARKET STREET AUTO SALES COMPANY

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The screen novelty of all time
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Music by the orchestra

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the matter of the Estate of Rev. J. E. Galluska, late of Morris township, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

JOHN KOTSKY,
Administrator
Conemaugh Pa.

Or to M. Ward Ferning, Esq.
His Attorney
Philipsburg, Pa.

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Such
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Who wouldn't be joyful
when they open their pack-
age on Wednesday morning
and find it to be a box of
this correct stationery.

And there's such a wide
assortment to select from.
All colors that are in good
taste. All sizes that are
needed for your correspon-
dence needs are here aplenty.

The initial monogram on
some of the numbers is
beautifully done, adding a
lack—gives your letters
touch that plain stationery
an individuality.

Plenty yet for Christmas
buying.

STEWART'S DRUG STORE

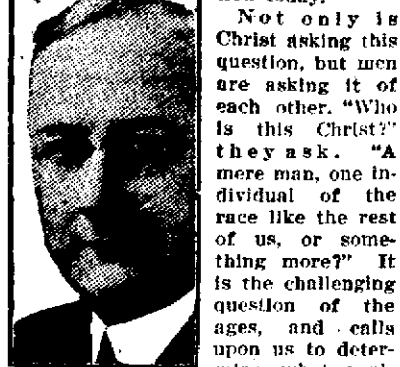
The San Tox Store

Who Is Jesus Christ?

By REV. W. W. KETCHUM
Director of the Evening Classes,
Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Whom say ye that I am?—Mat-
thew 16:15.

Christ asked this question of his
disciples ages ago, and he is still ask-
ing the same question today.



Not only is Christ asking this
question, but men are asking it of
each other. "Who is this Christ?"
they ask. "A mere man, one in-
dividual of the race like the rest
of us, or something more?" It is
the challenging question of the
ages, and calls upon us to deter-
mine what rank Christ holds in the
hierarchy of beings.

There are those who try to make us
believe that Christ is a mere man,
and nothing more; but we are not per-
suaded that they have answered the
question correctly. We readily admit
the humanity of Christ. It is rarely
ever challenged today. In fact, the
tendency of the age is towards the hu-
manizing of Christ altogether. But
after we have admitted that Christ is
a man, there is that about him which
tells us that we have not fully an-
swered his question.

It was Napoleon Bonaparte who
said: "I know men, and I tell you
that Jesus Christ is no mere man." That
is just it; we, too, know men. And,
because we do, we know that Jesus
Christ is no mere man. Every-
one agrees that Jesus Christ is the
one sinless personality of the race.
Twenty centuries of hostile criticism
have not found a flaw in his character.
It is as stainless and spotless as ever.

Of what more man can you say that?
There has never a man lived whose
character could stand the white light
of criticism as has the character of
Christ.

And his character is no figment of
the fancy. It is not the product of
the imagination of a few unlearned
fishermen. As Theodore Parker says:
"Shall we be told such a man never
lived? His whole story is a lie? Sup-
pose that Plato and Newton never
lived? But who did their works, and
thought their thoughts? It takes a
Newton to forge a Newton. What
man could have fabricated a Jesus?
None but a Jesus."

Before, then, we can answer
Christ's question aright, we must con-
sider his stainless, spotless character,
unequaled by any man in the past and
unattained by any man in the present.

Robert Ingersoll, who never admit-
ted more than he was obliged to, ac-
knowledgeed that Christ was "a good
and heroic man." That was a great
concession for the avowed infidel, and,
when weighed carefully, it is seen to
be an argument in favor of the unique
character of Christ, which lifts him
above mere men. For it is obvious
to anyone that there can be no dis-
crepancy between a good man and his
word. If Christ is all Robert Ingersoll
is willing to admit—a good man,
then Christ's word must be "a good
word." What he says of himself must
be true, or he at once loses his good
character and becomes a charlatan.

So Christ, then, must be heard. It is
absolutely unfair to pass judgment
upon him without hearing him. And
it will help us, in view of all that is
admitted concerning him, if we listen
to him speak.

First, he hears testimony to his own
character by publicly challenging any-
one to convict him of sin (John 8:46).
No one was ever found who accepted
the challenge, and Pilate, who exam-
ined him on a spurious complaint of
the Jews, said: "I find no fault in
him." By his own testimony, con-
firmed by the word of Pilate, he stands
before us as the one without spot or
blemish.

Again, he claims that the record he
bears of himself is true. If it be not
true, then we are shut up to one al-
ternative, and that he was not, as Rob-
ert Ingersoll has admitted, "a good
man," for a man is not good if he ever
breathes falsehood.

He plainly states that he knows
whence he came, and whither he goes
(John 8:14), and who he is. Hear
him as he says: "No man hath
ascended up into heaven, but he that
came down from heaven, even the Son
of Man, which is in heaven" (John
3:13). To the woman of Samaria, who
says: "I know that Messias cometh,
which is called Christ," he replies: "or
that speak unto thee am he" (John
4:25-26); and to the one born blind,
whose eyes he had opened, he asked:
"Dost thou believe on the Son of
God?" To which the man once blind
replies: "Who is he, Lord, that I
might believe?" To which Jesus an-
swered: "Thou hast both seen him,
and it is he that speaketh unto thee"
(John 9:35-37).

Count it a blessing when God de-
lays the answer to your prayer in or-
der to enlarge your capacity to re-
ceive.

The minimum wage of adult ex-
perienced women workers in Winnipeg
in factories where food-stuffs other
than candies are made, is not less
than \$10 a week.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Miss Nora Bailey and brother Rob-
ert, of Morrisdale, were shopping in
town yesterday.

William Boag, of Bondman, is home
from University of Pennsylvania, at
Philadelphia, for his Christmas vaca-
tion, and is spending a few days with
his sister, Mrs. Clyde Staver.

Lois Fegley of Grampian was shop-
ping in town today.

Abe Shapiro is home from Belle-
fonte to spend the Christmas vaca-
tion with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis
Shapiro on Cherry street.

Miss Lillian Moore arrived home
last evening from Maryland College
for her Christmas vacation.

Ike Robison will arrive home this
evening from Cape May to spend a
short furlough with his parents.

Misses Catherine Dimeling and Bet-
ty Weaver arrived home last evening
from Bryn Mawr to spend Christmas
with their parents.

Miss Corinne Roth of Curwensville
is visiting at the home of Paul Kolbe.

Miss Estelle DeVinney left this
morning to spend the week end with
her parents at Kylesburg.

Ralph W. Baker, a student of the
Theological Seminary, Gettysburg, is
spending his holiday vacation with his
parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Baker.

Cortez Bell, William Lertzinger and
Frederick Kyper arrived home this
morning from Ann Arbor, Michigan,
for their Christmas vacation.

Ms. William Prosser and Mrs. John
Eboch, of Philipsburg spent yesterday
at the home of L. C. Mattern on Cher-
ry street.

Frank Arnold of Curwensville
transacted business in town today.

Dr. Ruben, the eye specialist of Har-
risburg, is in town this week and stop-
ping at the Dimeling.

Misses Gerda Peterson and Ethel
Gustafson of Grassflat were shopping
in town yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Weaver arrived
home this morning from Goucher col-
lege for her Christmas vacation.

James McPherson arrived home
from State College to spend the
Christmas vacation with his par-
ents.

Miss Caroline Hartman and brother
Emory arrived home today from
Ohio Wesleyan University to spend
the Christmas vacation with their
parents Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Hart-
man.

Mrs. Arthur Row left this morn-
ing for Cleveland, Ohio, where she
will meet her husband and spend
Christmas. After Christmas they
will go to Canton, Ohio, where they
will make their future home.

Henry Liveright is home from Le-
high college for his Christmas vaca-
tion.

Miss Anna Quiggle of Irvona, was
shopping in our stores today.

Miss Lois Mather entertained last
evening at her home on Daisy street
in honor of five nephews of Uncle
Sam, who have recently been mustered
out. The evening was spent
in dancing and playing games.
Dainty refreshments were served.

Ed. Dufrenoy is home from Camp
Jackson, Fla., having been mustered
out.

Mrs. E. M. Thompson of Curwens-
ville, was shopping in town today.

Reilly Lytle arrived home this
morning from Brooklyn, N. Y., to
spend Christmas with his parents.

Miss Thelma Stewart of Woodland,
who is home from Lock Haven for
her Christmas vacation spent today
with her grandmother Mrs. Ashley
Stewart on Locust.

A. E. Mackie arrived home this
morning from Great Lakes Training
school to spend his Christmas vaca-
tion.

Mrs. R. D. Sipes was in town doing
Christmas shopping today.

H. E. Clark of Glen Campbell,
transacted business in town yester-
day.

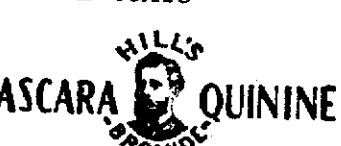
Miss Nan Fulford is home from
Lebanon Valley college for her
Christmas vacation.

Miss Elizabeth Zerfoss arrived
home this morning from Randolph-
Macon to spend Christmas with her
parents Mr. and Mrs. George E.
Zerfoss.

Yes, saw it in The Progress.

Look out for Span-
ish Influenza.

At the first sign of
a cold take



Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet
form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold
in 24 hours—effective grip in 3 days. Money
back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top
with Mr. Felt's picture. At All Drug Stores.

NO CHANGE IN THE PRICE OF NASH CAR

"There will be no changes in the
prices of Nash passenger cars and
trucks before July 1, 1919," is the
statement made by President C. W.
Nash to Nash distributors from all
parts of the country in the plant at
Kenosha. This is an indication that
automobile prices in the first six
months of 1919 will be maintained.

Developments indicate that the ma-
jority of the leading manufacturers
will maintain their prices, particularly
manufacturers who held prices down
during the war. In most cases the
reductions have been made by com-
panies which, during the war period,
made several advances in price.

The Nash Company during the war
was on practically a 100 per cent. war
basis and furnished the government
only regular peace-time products of
the Nash factory. Accordingly it is
among those companies which are in
a position to almost immediately re-
sume quantity production of their own
products for the general trade. In
discussing his position on the price
question President Nash said:

"It has always been my policy to
cut manufacturing costs by efficient
manufacturing methods, and to sell on
a small profit on a volume production
basis. This policy we adhered to
throughout the war and are continu-
ing the policy. The Nash products
have not been overpriced. We made
no raises on these products except
those naturally brought about by re-
finements, improvements and just re-
cognition of the prices of material and
labor. Our margin of profit on the

complete Nash line is a small one and
it is only by quantity production that
we are in a position to market the ma-
chine at these figures and remain here in
business.

"Realizing this situation we have
made the announcement to the public
that there will be no changes in Nash
prices before July 1, 1919. We make
this announcement because of the un-
certainty in the minds of some dealers
and in the minds of the public brought
about by the fact that some com-
panies, which had made big raises in
the prices of their products at the
time that it seemed probable that
there would be no passenger car pro-
duction in 1919, with the changed con-
ditions have readjusted their prices.
The reports brought in by our dis-
tributors at their meeting indicate
that there is great prosperity ahead
for the automobile industry through-
out the United States. Therefore we
believe our factory, our distributors
and our dealers are all in a position
to reap their full share in the pros-
perity which the end of the war has
brought to business generally."

CHRISTMAS CANDIES AT CROSS' THIRD STREET STORE

A fine line of Christmas candies
and novelty at lowest cash prices at
Cross' confectionery store. Some
real bargains in Christmas candies.
Drop in and look them over.

The oldest living woman in the world
so far as is known, lives in Posen. She
is 134 years of age, and her birth is
substantiated by records. She was a
young woman when Napoleon swept
over Europe. At the time of her
birth Frederick the Great was still
alive and the United States had been
born about eight years.

Open House for Soldiers

At Knights of Columbus Rooms

The Knights of Columbus Rooms on Market street over
the Post Office will be open daily from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M.
You will find writing materials, library privileges, and other
means of amusement.

Come—Feel at Home—Enjoy yourselves just as you
did at camp.

LEONARDSON'S

SPECIAL NOTICE

This Store Will Be Open Monday and
Tuesday Evenings Until 9 P. M.

We Still Have Splendid Selections Of Holiday Gifts
To Choose From



Have You Attended Our
CHRISTMAS SALES



Many Special Offerings Are Here

Our Christmas Specials For Monday Morning
From 9 to 12

Children's \$5. Fur Sets at \$3.95

These make sensible gifts for the little ones, a gift that is sure to please them on Christmas morning.
A splendid variety of styles to choose from, our regular \$5.00 value, Monday morning from 9 to 12 at \$3.95

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EVERY MUSICAL NUMBER A HIT

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Music by
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THE PRINCESS
THEATRE NEW YORK
MUSICAL COMEDY
SUCCESS



PRICES: MATINEE 50c, 75c, \$1.00
NIGHT 50c, \$1.00, \$1.00

SEATS NOW ON SALE

Get Yours Filled in Order Of Their Receipt

LODGE WOULD GO SLOW ON FIVE OF PEACE POINTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Declaring President Wilson's league of nation ideas "captivating and attractive" Senator Lodge Republican floor leader, today seriously questioned its practicability as a working plan to affect the world. Lodge declared it would only tend to "embarrass the peace we ought to make at once with Germany."

He followed with a series of questions as to who would be members of the league. Whether Germany is to be included and whether the small nations are to have a vote equal to the larger ones. Lodge advised delay in discussing these five of the President's fourteen peace terms until satisfactory and binding peace treaty had been signed: League of nations, freedom of the seas, secret diplomacy, economic barriers, and reduction of armament.

Declaring that "Germany did not change its nature the night the Kaiser ran away to Holland," Lodge demanded that a peace treaty be backed with a physical guarantee that would make it impossible for that country to "break out again upon the world with her conquest".

PERMANENT REORGANIZATION OF ARMY ARE NOW DEMOBILIZING 30,000 PER DAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Reorganization of the United States army to permanent lines has been started. Major General Chas. T. Menoher, formerly commander of the Rainbow Division and now commander of the Sixth corps, has been named by Chief of Staff March as director of the aerial service. Menoher is now on his way home, but pending his arrival Col. John James Morris will be acting director of the service. This reorganization is continuing upon the resignations of Secretary Ryan and Wm. C. Potter, head of the air service.

General March announced these facts today and at the same time confirmed Secretary of War Baker's announcement yesterday that the 30,000 daily demobilization rate had been reached in this country basic on a six day week. For the week ending December 14, camps in this country discharged 188,552 men. This makes a total of over 300,000 demobilized. Officers discharged number 26,903.

In this connection March pointed out that in 1916 the army register listed only 4,840 officers in the whole army.

General Menoher, whose home is in Johnstown, Pa., was commander of the Rainbow Division during its earliest and hardest fighting in France.

SPAIN FOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS

By HENRY WOOD

PARIS, Dec. 21.—Spain to the last man favors a league of nations, Premier Romanones declared in an interview with the United Press today. "Spain recognizes that a league of nations is the only salvation for the small nations," the Premier declared. "One-half of the nation's budget consists of war expenses. If there is a league of nations this money could be used for industry and other purposes."

SINK FLEET STORY ALL BUNK

By FRED J. TAYLOR

PARIS, Dec. 21.—The report that the American commission has decided to advocate sinking of the German fleet is "pure bunk," a high authority told the United Press today. Subsequent suggestions regarding the German fleet and the disposing of it are among the chief pastimes here at present. Also the fate of the Kaiser is under discussion. As a matter of fact nothing in regard to either has been decided upon as yet. A great number of proposals have been received but they have not yet even been thoroughly worked out.

GIRL MURDERER CONFESSES

Emira, N. Y., Dec. 21.—Mildred Gunderman, aged 16 today told the authorities that she murdered Leo Martin her 15 years old sweetheart last September for \$100 it was announced by the police. She previously admitted her guilt after having been arrested for running away from home the police allege. The money she declared was given her by a man in Youngstown, Ohio, where the alleged crime was committed in order to remove Martin so he could have her attentions alone, and the girl was also jealous of Martin's attentions to another girl and wanted revenge. Further details of the life of the child were revealed in her talk with local authorities. She declared she married Donald Dunn a soldier of Columbus, Ohio, November 12, 1917 and lived with him until January, 1918.

INTRODUCTORY PRICES

Fitch's Famous Goods. Tonique Superbe. Dandruff remover. Lilac Royal. Also Hynd's Antiseptic Skin Tonic. See window display. WHITE CROSS BARBER SHOP Next door to Jordan's D21-4tp

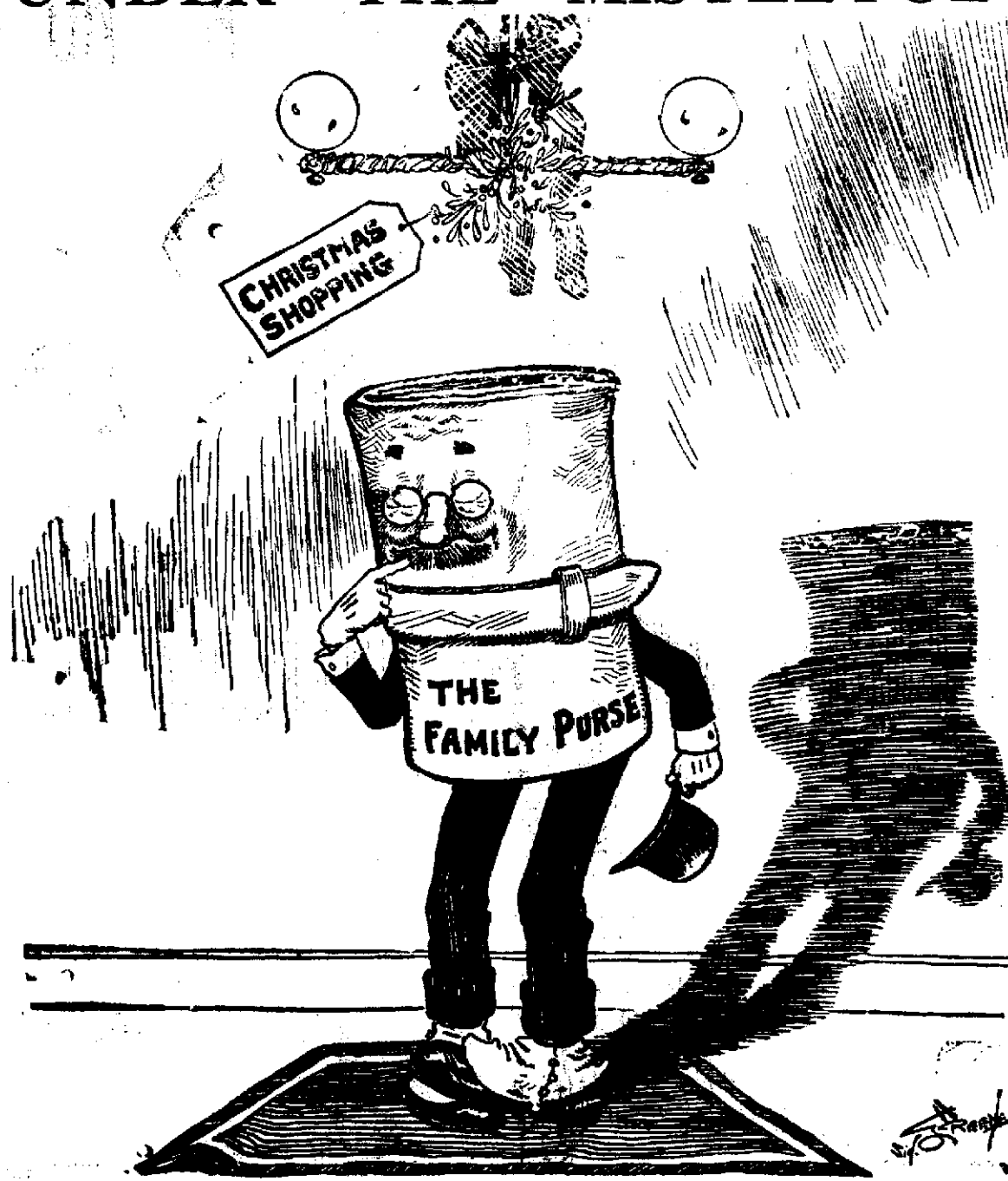
ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

At a dinner given by Miss Julia Miller at her home on West Front street yesterday afternoon the engagement of Miss Margaret Wrigley to T. Reilly Lytle was announced. The table was tastefully decorated in Xmas decoration and in military effect. Ten guests were present and the afternoon was spent in knitting. Miss Margaret Wrigley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wrigley of Front street and Reilly Lytle is the son of J. G. Lytle, and is now stationed at Brooklyn Navy Yard.

ALFRED M. ELLIS

The death angel entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ellis on Locust street at an early hour this morning and removed therefrom their bright and interesting little son Alfred M. Ellis, aged about five years. Four members of the family have been suffering with influenza the past week and little Alfred developed meningitis which caused his death.

UNDER THE MISTLETOE



—N. Y. Evening Telegram

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY AT TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

Trinity Methodist church welcomes the return of her victorious soldier boys. Of the eighty-two (82) young people from this congregation who were with the colors several have been mustered out of the service and have arrived home. They will receive a cordial welcome at their home church tomorrow. The large group of young men and women who have been in college and others engaged in war work who are home for the holidays will also be warmly greeted. Strangers and visitors are welcomed to all the services.

The program for Sunday begins with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The attendance last Sunday indicated that the grip of the epidemic in this community is loosening up. At the morning hour for public worship the great Christmas hymns will be sung. The choir will sing specially prepared anthems and Dr. Hartman will preach on "Peace and Good Will".

The Epworth League service will be in charge of Howard Steward and special features will make this a profitable hour for the young people. Gaul's sacred cantata "The Holy City" will be sung by a choir of twenty-four voices in the evening. The members and friends of the church will not want to miss any of the joyous services of Christmas Sunday.

RED CROSS MEMBERSHIPS

It is believed that every patriotic American wants his name enrolled as a member of the American Red Cross and as many of our good people were not at their homes when the canvassers called during the past week they are now requested to call at either of the banks where booths have been set up or at Red Cross headquarters, Murray building and enroll—all you need is a heart and a dollar.

WELCOME CHRISTMAS GIFT

A. W. Leonarson received a welcome Christmas gift this morning in the shape of a cablegram from his brother Lew who has been in France doing battle for his Uncle Sammy for some time.

The Merry Christmas wishes are doubly acceptable in view of the fact that this is the first news that has been received from Lew for a long time. He was too busy chasing the Hun in the last drive to think of things other than those pertaining to the grim needs of war.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:30 Morning Worship. Organ Prelude, "Queen of Sheba" Gounod Anthem "Jesus Is Born a King" Brown Hymn, "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear" Rebekah Smith, Solo Hymn, "The Christ Child" Coombs Anthem, "The Christ Child" Mrs. Reeve, solo Offertory, "Christmas Song of Joy" Christmas Sermon, "Peace on Earth" Dr. Reeve Anthem, "Brightest and Best of The Sons of The Morning" Solos, Mr. Van Osten, Mrs. Reeve (With organ, piano, and violin accompaniment.) Postlude, "Christmas March" Moeckle

Evening Worship, 7:30 The beautiful cantata "The Shepherds of Bethlehem," by Demarest, will be sung by a chorus of forty-five voices. All who heard this chorus sing at Easter time will know that a treat of music is in store for the public on Sabbath evening.

Program Organ Prelude, "Festival Prelude" Grimas Chorus "Holy Night, Silent Night" Chorus The Cantata, "THE SHEPHERDS OF BETHLEHEM" Demarest 1. Introduction, organ and piano, "The Plains of Bethlehem" Alice Smith, Margaret Wrigley 2. "The Holy Night Is Falling" Chorus 3. "Messiah" Solo Mr. Van Osten 4. "On That Holy Night" Solos Miss McGee, Mr. Van Osten 5. Shepherds Chorus Tenors and Basses 6. "Fear Not Ye" Solo Mrs. Walter Sohn 7. "Glory To God In The Highest" Chorus 8. "Oh, Where Shall We Behold Him" Duo Mr. Sohn, Mr. Van Osten 9. "God Hath Appointed Him" Solo Mrs. Reeve 10. Chorus of Shepherds "Toward Bethlehem We Turn Our Feet" Solo 11. "Art Thou He" Solo George W. Weaver 12. "This Is The Christ, The Lord of Life" Chorus Offertory, "The Shepherds Pipe" Harris Anthem, "The Glad Tidings" Chorus Finale Postlude Grand March "Lenore Symphony" Hoff

WEST SIDE M. E. CHURCH NOTES

An appropriate Christmas sermon will be preached by the pastor on Sunday morning.

The new balcony has been completed and we now can accommodate nearly double the attendance than formerly. Come out and hear this Christmas message that the pastor has for you.

On Christmas night the choir will render the beautiful cantata "Bright and Morning Star" by Wilson. The libretto takes up first, the prophecy of the Christ's birth and then follows with the march of the Wise Men and discovery of the Christ-child in the manger at Bethlehem, ending up with a paean of praise of the people who welcome the fulfillment of the prophecies handed down to them by the seers.

Owing to the virulence of the influenza on the West Side and the reluctance of the people to gather in crowds it has been decided that the rendition of the cantata will form the basis of the observance of the Christmas season.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Corner Dorey and Seventh Streets Rev. W. A. Wissinger, Pastor 9:45 Sabbath School. 11:00 Preaching Services. Subject, "The Heavenly Chorus." 2:00 J. C. E. Society. 6:30 Sr. C. E. Society. 7:30 Preaching Services. Subject, "A New Kingdom." The quarantine has been lifted from the parsonage, and the pastor will preach both morning and evening. All members are urged to be present at all services. "Come let us extol His name together."

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. C. W. Baker, Pastor 9:15 Sunday School. 10:30 Church Service. "The Lord is at Hand." 6:30 Young People's Service. 7:30 Divine Worship. "The Soul and Its Repentance." 7:00 P. M. Wednesday. Christmas cantata, entitled "Bethlehem." Forty people in the cast. You will enjoy it. Probably the first woman to be chairman of a state political convention in the United States was Rev. Henriette G. Moore who presided over the Ohio State Prohibition convention in 1895.

CASUALTY LIST DELAY IS CAUSING MUCH CONCERN

Washington, Dec. 19.—Casualties of the American expeditionary forces which have not been published but which have been announced officially by General Pershing had been reduced yesterday to 66,892. These the war department announced today. were classified as follows:

Major casualties, including killed in action, died of wounds, died of disease and died of other causes, 1,680; wounded, 64,862; missing and prisoners, 350.

A large proportion of the names listed as wounded are minor cases, it was said, many patients having long since recovered and returned to duty. Officials explained that the total is really less, because General Pershing's figures included marine casualties of 1,202 killed and more than 4,000 wounded, which already have been published by the Marine Corps headquarters.

The wide-spread comment on the enormous casualty lists now being published—five weeks after the signing of the armistice—has not reached the stage of criticism and complaint.

But it is distinctly a sad sensation. Nobody had any idea of the mortalities and casualties of those final battles of Armageddon in which the American forces had baptism in seas of blood. We do not know yet just how deadly was the toll of life in those final battles which saved the day for the Allies. But we do know that it was far in excess of the expectation or of the imagination of the American people.

There does not seem now to Washington people any basis for adverse comment upon the war department for the suppression or the failure to secure these reports within these five weeks. Nor does any one as yet rise to criticize the department, publicly for the failure to make the statement of fearful casualties at Belleau Wood and along the line of final battle. To do this would have entailed exceptional anxiety and suffering among those who were represented among the heroic marines who bore the brunt and spilled the lavish blood of those desperate battles.

So far the criticism and complaint has been confined to those who were long delayed in receiving news of fatalities that involved their loved ones, and to whom the final announcement came with such terrible sorrow because it was kept from them so long.

Among these stands over Mr. Manning of South Carolina, with six sons in the fighting ranks of the army. It was weeks before Governor Manning heard of the fatal wound of his third son, William, who was one of the brilliant heroes of the National Press gallery. It is understood that Governor Manning carried the major in stern complaint to the war department two days ago.

Even more striking is the case of the adjutant general of the army, Peter F. Harris. Only two days ago General Harris heard his son killed of wounds in a German prison, and the shock was severe. But the gallant soldier said no word.

Part of the trouble seems due to the unreliability of the cables. Four messages were sent to General Clarence Edwards in Paris announcing the illness, the improvement, the relapse and the death of his daughter from influenza. But the first news that ever reached the distinguished soldier was a paragraph in an English edition of a Paris newspaper.

Twenty cable messages were sent to Senator J. Davis Elkins, of West Virginia, announcing his election on November 5. He did not hear of his success until December 4—one month later. Whether this was one of the reasons for the government assumption of the cable lines is not known, but the conditions do not so far seem improved under government control.

General George Barnett made a sensation along this line today at his hearing before the Naval Committee of the House.

General Barnett stated that out of 8,500 marines engaged at Belleau wood, the actual casualties were 5,720, although only 3,500 have been officially reported. It was after that battle that General Pershing requested and was given 10,000 men for marine replacements.

General Barnett mingled his regrets with pardonable pride in the unsurpassed bravery of his marines during the war. He said:

"The account of the marines in France, forms a story of almost (Continued on Page 4)

NOVEMBER ELECTION COST SOME MONEY

According to the statements of the different candidates and party organization treasurers, filed with Protholary Moore, it cost more than one dollar per head to poll the nearly nine thousand votes cast in Clearfield county at the November election.

The exact total, according to sworn figures, of the election's cost to the candidates and their supporters, amounts to \$9,135.64.

The law requiring the filing of these statements is styled the "Corrupt Practices Act" and was placed upon the statute books ostensibly to make bribery or vote buying impossible and also to eliminate that detestable skunk, the political grafter or heeler from politics. That neither advantage has been derived is very well known to everybody familiar with the circumstances surrounding almost every campaign in Clearfield county since the law became effective.

Ordinarily when a candidate in a grueling fight gives his sworn statement of actual expenses, the candidate always feels safe in saying "the half has not been told". It seems to be ever thus and no doubt will so continue until some fellow is caught in the act and made an example of or a new and more stringent law is made for the eradication of the evil.

Some of the expense accounts filed in recent years make interesting reading, in that they show up the grafters in the different districts, and by grafters we mean the fellow who holds up each and every candidate he runs across and "bleeds him" for money. Fortunately the law in question has driven many of these fellows out of business or they are able to induce their victims to refrain from placing their names upon the expense account and simply list them under a general heading without giving particulars.

This election furnished a glaring instance of a "commercial politician" who asked for nothing but the money regardless of circumstances, age, sex, conditions, former or present political belief or anything else that would prevent him from getting the "long green". This fellow's name appears upon the expense account of every candidate and organization treasurer, who would hold still or give up. He is none other than Billy Tunstall, of DuBois and Sandy township, ex-laborer, man, laboring man's friend, Socialist, non-partisan anti-work disciple, etc., etc.

Billy was tramping around over the country last fall making speeches he said at the request of somebody down in Washington. If that was true whoever started him out was pretty mad at Clearfield county alright. He appeared on the Court House corner a couple of times. The last time we overheard a regular say "there's that dampfool spouting again". We rose right up here and now to challenge that statement. Tongue-tied was no "dampfool," he knew what he was at. Look at the listed contributions.

Treasurer Hiller, of the Republican County Organization, paid Wm. Tunstall \$170 for "disseminating information". Matt Savage, Democratic candidate for State Senator, loaned to Tunstall to the amount of \$25. His Republican opponent for the same office, Dr. S. J. Miller, gave up \$20 to Tunstall in \$10 lots. Even Joe Phillips was induced by Willie's winning ways to separate himself from \$12 which went down into the same deep, dark pocket with the other wads. Tunstall's net Republican and Democratic gains thus total \$225. Several of the candidates spent less than \$50 and we have no way of finding out whether Billy hoarded in on any of these homopathic accounts, but if he didn't it wasn't his fault.

Following is a list of the expense accounts filed:

Congress	Amount
Evan Jones, R.	\$2,197.91
W. E. Tobias, D.	\$1,722.91
Jones received no contributions from State and National Organizations.	
State Senator	
S. J. Miller, R.	\$99.65
Matt Savage, D.	\$155
Savage received \$155 in contributions.	
Legislature	
Joseph E. Phillips, R.	\$82.00
W. J. Hoover, D.	\$143.55
County Organizations	
F. J. Hiller, Rep. Treasurer	\$2,777.00
J. Fred Weaver, Dem. Treas.	\$1,812.62
The Democrats were frugal enough to quit with \$30.38 on hands.	
Charles P. Taft, Cincinnati newspaper publisher and brother of former President Taft is 75 years old today.	

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SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 21, 1918.

DEATH OF MISS HOLDEN AT CURWENSVILLE

Another of those sad deaths that have been so numerous recorded during the past two months took place in Curwensville Friday morning when Miss Lou Holden passed away after a week's illness of pneumonia following influenza. Miss Holden had been chief of the Bell telephone office at Curwensville for a number of years and by her fine personality and attendance to duty in her position had won the esteem and confidence of hundreds of people all through Central Pennsylvania. To be courteous and accommodating to the patrons of her office was her constant aim and many a heart will be saddened by her death. The death of her father (William Holden) about fifteen years ago, placed upon her the necessity of caring for her mother and a young brother; how she rose to the occasion and accomplished her task is a story only too well-known by all who knew her. Her cheerful disposition, her care for those she held most dear and her dealings with those in public life with whom she came in contact in her daily work have left memories that will never die. Her funeral will take place from the family home in Curwensville next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment will be in the cemetery at that place.

DIAMONDS COME HIGHER

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The young man who gives his chosen one a diamond engagement ring, or the older man who is going to surprise his wife with a pendant or other diamond ornament as a Christmas present will have to draw on his bank account to a greater extent this year than ever before. Diamonds are high in price and are going higher. The increase is due to the combined shortage and extraordinary demand.

Diamond dealers in Maiden Lane declare the situation is becoming critical. They declare the shortage is awful—something like \$150,000,000 worth. And people are simply groaning for diamonds.

An inquiry among the prominent dealers confirms the report that there is an extraordinary demand for diamonds, which cannot be met by the present supply. When the war broke out the South African mines were shut down for eighteen months; hence the shortage. On top of this comes the extra demand from thousands of people on both sides of the Atlantic who have been made rich by the war.

Generally speaking, diamonds are now quoted at from 40 to 50 per cent advance over the pre-war prices, and the opinion is that the prices will continue to rise.

I saw it in The Progress.

GLAD

Yes, how glad you'll be next Christmas if you put a little money each week into our

1919 CHRISTMAS SAVINGS CLUB

It is made up of people of foresight who'll have money when they want it most. Our cheery Christmas checks coming along just at the right time will take much of the usual short-of-money burden. Drop in and ask us about it. You can bring the deposit yourself, send it by mail or messenger—it's easy—we do all the work.

Why not be among the first to join?



NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS CURWENSVILLE

Ten influenza cards were removed from homes yesterday, thereby releasing those who were confined to their homes for a week or so. Some five new cases were reported, all on the outskirts of the borough however.

Painters are engaged in putting on the finishing touches of paint and fresco work on the three Orle Norris new dwelling houses on Thompson street.

Mrs. Delaney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter of the Park House, is ill with an attack of typhoid fever in Pittsburgh. She was visiting with friends in that city when stricken with the disease.

Curwensville industries are somewhat handicapped in getting out their output on account of so many of their men being afflicted with the flu or being quarantined at home on account of some of their family being down with it.

George Richards, who conducts an automobile tire repair shop, was taken down ill yesterday morning.

Printer Fred P. Robison and little son were reported yesterday as being attacked by the influenza.

The Business Men's association has put out notices that a meeting will be held on January 7th for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

Health Officer Weaver has had his house quarantined on account of his little daughter having the flu. This is the second card for him.

Yesterday the emergency hospital, which has been maintained at the Moose rooms for some six weeks was closed, the last patient being removed some time during the evening. That this institution did a good work there is no dispute and some patients were treated there that would have probably died had they been treated at their place of abode. Now just when the town is in the midst of the epidemic and no sign of an abatement of it, the nurses are removed and the rooms dismantled of bedding, etc. Physicians agree that it was a bad time to close it down, even though the expenses of maintaining it was a little more than was anticipated. Yet their opinion in the matter amounted to naught. What the result of the hospitals removal at this particular time will prove remains to be seen, but is predicted that since there is now no place where the real dangerously ill cannot be treated as they were in that institution, the death rate from the epidemic will move than double itself. What does a few paltry dollars amount to to the saving and preserving human life. Dollars can be replaced but a human life, never. The people are about evenly divided on the question as to whether it was a good thing to remove the hospital at this particular time or not, and will await with much anxiety the outcome.

ENTERTAIN THE SICK AND LONELY

WANTED -- Musicians, readers, singers and entertainers of any kind to give entertainment at the hospital for the convalescent and the inmates at the County Home and for free entertainments or Sunday afternoon services at the Y. M. C. A. and benefits for churches and charitable institutions. Any caring to volunteer their services will please phone or hand their names to Sec'y. Graffius at the Y. M. C. A.

All that you do or send into the lives of others comes back into your own.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

G. E. Smith Pastor
10:00 Sunday school
11:00 Morning worship
7:30 Evening worship
The prayer service will be held on Thursday evening instead of Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Arthur D. Draucker died at Reynoldsville in November. He was a former Curwensville boy being born and reared within one mile of town and was the youngest son of the late Bolzer Draucker and was born in 1861. After the lumbering interests waned in this section, he removed to Jefferson county, where he resided until his death. He was a brother of Perry and Frank Draucker, both deceased, and a nephew of Edward Tanager, of this place.

Rev. Joseph Cook who has been pastor of the Baptist church here for several years, left today for Hazelton, accompanied by his family, where he has accepted the pastorate of a church.

The Herald office was not immune against the influenza, the disease invading the office and taking hold of Miss Rosa Williams one of the typists. We are pleased to state that she is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mrs. Frank Bilger residing on Bloomington avenue, died at an early hour Friday morning. Influenza, pneumonia and other complications were the immediate cause of death. Her maiden name was Joy Smith, and she was born and raised near Rockton. Mr. Bilger, the husband, who is manager of the A. & P. store here, brought his family here about a year ago, and he is now in a serious condition from the flu. Her remains will be taken to Greenville cemetery and interred.

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The funeral of Private Mignon Salvatore, who died at a Vancouver camp one day last week, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the undertaking room of James Smith, his remains arriving on a Pennsylvania train during the forenoon. It was a military funeral, about twenty of the returned soldier boys following the remains of their comrade to the cemetery. The Crescent cornet band also turned out to do honor to the soldier. A long line of friends of the dead boy followed to pay their last respects to one of their nationality and to one who followed the flag. Deceased was an Italian by birth and was the only one of his family in this country, but one brother and a sister survive him in Italy. No matter what nation he was a United States soldier and deserved the recognition shown his services for this, his adopted home.

Corporals Solomon Robison, Clifford Murray, Privates George Leech, William Lantz and George Ammerman, who were students at the officers training school, Carlisle, are home having been discharged from further service in that capacity.

The body of a child was brought here from Maple Run yesterday and interred in Oak Hill cemetery. The name could not be learned.

Don Ames, employed by the Penn Public company met with an accident Thursday which might have proven fatal. He was working on a high pile when the cross arm broke throwing him to the ground. He suffered no other injuries other than having several ligaments torn from an arm and bruised about the body somewhat.

Frank L. Arnold left for Maryville, Tenn., yesterday where he will spend the holidays with his daughter Mrs. Russell Kramer. Mrs. Arnold has been there for several weeks.

Messrs. Russell Daub and Victor Dale, two of Curwensville's hustling young men, left for Jacksonville, Fla., last Monday, where they will take up the vocation of enlarging pictures, both of whom are proficient in the art. They will make good in the sunny land of the south.

Burgess Frank Traister and family made a thorough acquaintance of the influenza last week, the entire family being ill with the disease at the same time. We are pleased to state, however, that the danger line has been passed and all are convalescing.

The friends of Miss Miriam Dyer will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her home from an attack of the influenza.

George Fleming and wife returned last Saturday evening from Pittsburgh where they spent a week with friends. Monday "Piney" was taken ill and has been confined to the house since that time battling with a severe and heavy cold.

Henry Snyder, one of the leading farmers of Pike township, died at his home near Olanta yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Bloom at their home on South Pine street, on Friday morning a young son. As this is the first male born in the family, the "Deacon" and his estimable wife are very proud of the little chap.

Eddie Norris who has been fighting the Hun over in France for some months, returned home on Thursday for a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Norris, on George street.

A few weeks ago the serious illness of Wallace A. Bell, who resided in California, was announced in the Curwensville letter. Today it is with sorrow that we are compelled to chronicle his death, which occurred at Meritt hospital near the town in which he lived. His death occurred during the second week in December, after a treatment in the hospital for kidney trouble. He was aged about 44 years, and is survived by a wife and two children. He was buried on Wednesday following his demise, the services being under the auspices of Richmond Lodge No. 13 Knights of Pythias. "Barnum" Bell as he was called in this neighborhood, was a young man who was widely and favorably known in this end of the county and his friends numbered into the hundred column. Thrust out into the world at a tender age to make his own way, he was buffeted about from one family to another until he was large enough to look after himself. Of a kind and genial disposition he made lasting friends wherever he went and retained them until the last.

A few years ago he married a young lady by the name of Bloom and the couple went to California to reside. He was a member of Curwensville were the immediate cause of death. Lodge, K. of P. and of a Mason's lodge in Missouri. Thus another one of Curwensville's sons is laid at rest from his native hearth.

William Mitchell of Pennsylvania is spending the week end with friends in town.



No change in the price of Nash passenger cars and trucks before July 1, 1919.

In offering Nash products to the public, we have never made price an issue. At this time, however, owing to the various price changes announced in the motor car industry, we wish to call your attention to the fact that Nash products at the present price represent unusual values. Nash prices have never been artificially raised, therefore there will be no change in the Nash price before July 1, 1919.

THE NASH MOTORS COMPANY

Nash Passenger Cars—5-Passenger Car, \$1490 Sedan, \$2250
4-Passenger Roadster, \$1490 4-Passenger Coupe, \$2250
7-Passenger Car, \$1640
Nash Trucks—One-Ton Chassis, \$1650 Two-Ton Chassis, \$2175
Nash Quad Chassis, \$3250
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NASH MOTORS

Value Cars at Volume Prices

Combining The Beautiful And The Practical

Never before has such a wave of practical gift giving broken upon the throngs of Christmas buyers as this year. It has been heralded from one end of the land to the other and we've heard the call.

This store is brimful of practical gifts—gifts that have not sacrificed beauty in their practicability. And when such gifts are given you are doubly recompensed in knowing that you have carried out the spirit of the season and have furnished joy for many months to come.

The last hours of the Christmas buying, 1918, will be fraught with rush and bustle. This store will be equipped to care for your needs. An augmented sales force, plenty of beautiful, practical gifts and a spirit of service that will make this season's shopping much easier than you expected.

ROSS & WOODS

CASUALTY LIST DETAY IS CAUSING MUCH CONCERN

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continuous fighting from Chateau Thierry to where they helped break the German line at Sedan.

The hardest fighting for the marines, General Barnett said, was at Belleau wood, where one regiment suffered casualties of ninety per cent. with many others suffering forty to fifty per cent. All through the American activities, he stated, marines were used as shock troops and the toll of killed or wounded was largely disproportionate to the personnel or other branches of the service. For bravery in battle, he stated 508 marines have been cited.

The long roll of heroes and martyrs is not yet written, but it is enough to show that in proportion to the time in which they were actually in the war the American troops dared as much and suffered as much and won as much, or more—as any other soldiers of the Allied camps. It is a heroic and dazzling record that should be written and read in London—and in Paris, too.

Classified Ads For Everybody

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Studebaker in good condition at a bargain if sold at once. Inquire of Rev. C. W. Clegg, Curwensville. D18-3t

SHOATS FOR SALE—I have some fine Chester White Shoats, three months old, for sale at the Stone House farm. James Mitchell, Clearfield, Pa. D16-4tc

PROPERTY FOR SALE—Six room house, with kitchen and good sized lot, located in Curwensville, on Sandy avenue. Bargain to quick buyer. Address Mike Ziats, Curwensville, Pa. D19-3tp

FOR SALE—Heavy team, wagons and harness. Have been used in hauling coal. Also have four new mine cars for sale. Inquire of D & M Coal Co., Woodland, Pa. H & C 385-3 D18-3t

WANTED

AUTOMOBILE WANTED—Roadster, open or closed, must be in good condition and reasonable. Address "Roadster" care Progress. D14-6tp

WANTED—Swedish girl for downstairs work and plain cooking, where Swedish girl is kept for chamber work. Address Mrs. H. G. Morgan, 203 Braddock Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. D20-1tp

WOMAN WANTED—To do housework. Apply at once to H & C phone 464L. D17-3tc

WANTED—Woman with one child wants place to keep house. Can give best of references. Ask Progress. D17-3tp

WANTED—Two girls for kitchen work at Clearfield hospital. D17-6tc

WANTED—Kitchen girl at Palace Hotel. D16-5tc

WANTED—A fresh cow. Address Mrs. Peter Coudinet, Leontes Mills. D16-6tc

WANTED—Roomers at 12 South Fifth street. D19-3tp

WANTED—Two women for work at Clearfield laundry. D18-6tc

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Apply at 210 Merrill street, Clearfield, Pa. D18-3tc

LOST

\$10 LOST—Ten dollars was dropped in the post office on the yesterday by me. If found, please return to me. Reward for return to W. L. C. Clearfield, Pa. D18-3tc

Rt. Rev. John J. Nolan, Catholic bishop of Hartford today completed forty years in the priesthood.

WOOD SHIP YARDS ARE ON BIG DRIVE

(By United Press)

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 20.—Shipyard in the 4th district, United States shipping board, wood ship production branch, comprising the states of Florida, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina, are now on a big drive which will determine the shipbuilding future in this section.

With official announcement from Chairman Edward N. Hurley, of the Shipping Board, that the future of shipbuilding absolutely depended upon the efficiency shown by the various yards, before them, officials are "weeding out" men not proving it.

Now that the emergency need for bottoms has been relieved to some extent, it is pointed out that unless yards in the southeast can show that it is more economical to build wooden ships than composite or steel vessels, yards more accessible to iron mines possibly may be favored in the future.

Whether wooden ships will be built in this district after the hulls now under construction are completed is not known. It was unofficially announced some time ago that a number of "pet" yards would be eliminated from the shipping board's program. To date, however, only a few contracts have been cancelled.

There are 9 yards in the 4th district constructing wooden ships. The first keel was laid Aug. 31, 1917, by the American Shipbuilding corporation, Brunswick, Ga. Since then 23 ships have been launched—an approximate total of 80,500 tons.

Jacksonville has four yards under the shipping board—the Merrill-Stevens Shipbuilding corporation, St. John's River Ship Yard Company, J. M. Murdock, Shipbuilding Co. and the Morey-Thomas Shipbuilding Co. Two other yards here are building ships for private firms.

Savannah has had two yards—the National Shipbuilding Co. and the Terry Shipbuilding Corporation. Both of these concerns are under contract with the shipping board.

At Tampa, the Tampa Lock Co. has shipping board contracts.

Brunswick, Ga., has two yards under contract with the shipping board—the United States Maritime corporation and the American Shipbuilding Co.

LOST—On December 4th a female American foxhound, white with black and tan spots. Collar with license No. 1057. Information as to whereabouts will be appreciated by Thomas Wilsoncroft, R. D. 1, West Decatur, Ga. D21-1tp

FOR SALE—National Cash Register. Register from one cent to nine dollars. Call Park House Curwensville. D18-3tc

MARKET STREET AUTO SALES COMPANY

The formal announcement of the opening of the new office and service station of the Market Street Auto Sales Company at the east end of the Market Street bridge as made in today's issue of The Progress, is the culmination of a business deal that involves a vast outlay of money and entailed a great amount of labor to bring the station up to its standard of efficiency.

The war conditions, which closed the Kupfer Glass factory were taken advantage of by this new and enterprising concern and, after remodeling the large building, they now have a service station that has no peer in the district.

The ground floor is given over to offices, sales rooms and storage space. A completely equipped shop is located in the basement with entrance at the rear of the building, a sturdy runway was erected on the river side of the building and this affords an entrance to the storage space on the second floor. The combined floor space covers nearly half an acre and allows storage of over sixty cars.

A luxurious ladies' rest room has been installed on the ground floor and this will, without doubt be welcomed by tourist.

In a talk with J. L. McGinniss, President and General Manager this morning he makes the following statement:

"When I first became connected with the automobile business it became a hobby with me to render the maximum of service and this new home of ours is the culmination of one of my fondest dreams."

"We are now ready to render service to townspeople and tourists and render it in the fullest sense of the term."

GRAMPIAN

Our roads at present show what occurs from having little or no work done the past season. They are if most important on the lower sections.

Miss E. A. Spencer and daughter, Lena and Alice Spencer, were shopping in Curwensville Monday.

Miss Lucy Spencer, who has been working in Butler, was called home the past week on account of the serious illness of her brother Lester.

Clarence Kessler, of A. G. Huber of DuBois, was visiting in Clearfield Wednesday.

Miss Rhoda Palmer of Geneva, N. Y. who attended the first woman suffrage convention in 1917.

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on Christmas
morning?



Will Caruso thrill you? Alma Gluck or John McCormack play upon your heart-strings? Harry Lauder regale you with his inimitable fun? Victor Herbert's Orchestra invite you to the lovely cadences of immortal melodies? Sousa stir your good American blood with "The Stars and Stripes Forever"?

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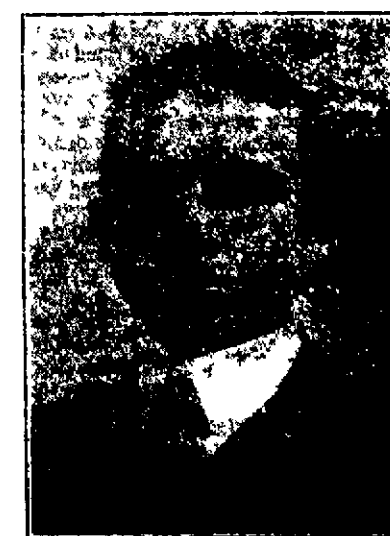
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When war conditions made the Kupfer Glass Factory, at the East end of the Market street bridge, available it was only a matter of closing a business deal to get a new home for our family of quality cars.

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Luxurious Ladies' Rest Room

A cozy rest room located on the ground floor is at your service. It is our constant desire that our personnel be the best of the room while in this city.

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You who have had experience with cars know that the satisfaction of having an ideal battery like the USL and a service station that knows the battery from the start to the time it is delivering a steady flow of power, will appreciate this feature of our service-giving home.

Spacious Car Storage

Two floors, covering nearly half an acre, provide ample storage space for a large number of cars.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the matter of the Estate of Rev. J. E. Galluska, late of Morris township, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

JOHN KOTSKY,

Administrator

Conemaugh Pa.

Or to M. Ward Ferning, Esq.

His Attorney

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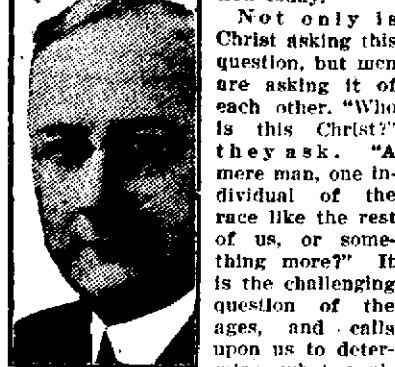
The San Tox Store

Who Is Jesus Christ?

By REV. W. W. KETCHUM
Director of the Evening Classes,
Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Whom say ye that I am?—Matthew 16:15.

Christ asked this question of his disciples ages ago, and he is still asking the same question today.



Not only is Christ asking this question, but men are asking it of each other. "Who is this Christ?" they ask. "A mere man, one individual of the race like the rest of us, or something more?" It is the challenging question of the ages, and it calls upon us to determine what rank Christ holds in the hierarchy of beings.

There are those who try to make us believe that Christ is a mere man, and nothing more; but we are not persuaded that they have answered the question correctly. We readily admit the humanity of Christ. It is rarely ever challenged today. In fact, the tendency of the age is towards the humanizing of Christ altogether. But after we have admitted that Christ is a man, there is that about him which tells us that we have not fully answered his question.

It was Napoleon Bonaparte who said: "I know men, and I tell you that Jesus Christ is no mere man." That is just it; we, too, know men, and because we do, we know that Jesus Christ is no mere man. Everyone agrees that Jesus Christ is the one sinless personality of the race. Twenty centuries of hostile criticism have not found a flaw in his character. It is as stainless and spotless as ever.

Of what more man can you say that? There has never a man lived whose character could stand the white light of criticism as has the character of Christ.

And his character is no figment of the fancy. It is not the product of the imagination of a few unlearned fishermen. As Theodore Parker says: "Shall we be told such a man never lived? His whole story is a lie? Suppose that Plato and Newton never lived? But who did their work, and thought their thoughts? It takes a Newton to forge a Newton. What man could have fabricated a Jesus? None but a Jesus."

Before, then, we can answer Christ's question aright, we must consider his stainless, spotless character, unequaled by any man in the past and unattained by any man in the present.

Robert Ingersoll, who never admitted more than he was obliged to, acknowledged that Christ was "a good and heroic man." That was a great concession for the avowed infidel, and, when weighed carefully, it is seen to be an argument in favor of the unique character of Christ, which lifts him above mere men. For it is obvious to anyone that there can be no discrepancy between a good man and his word. If Christ is all Robert Ingersoll is willing to admit—a good man, then Christ's word must be "a good word." What he says of himself must be true, or he at once loses his good character and becomes a charlatan.

So Christ, then, must be heard. It is absolutely unfair to pass judgment upon him without hearing him. And it will help us, in view of all that is admitted concerning him, if we listen to him speak.

First, he claims testimony to his own character by publicly challenging anyone to convict him of sin (John 8:46). No one was ever found who accepted the challenge, and Pilate, who examined him on a spurious complaint of the Jews, said: "I find no fault in him." By his own testimony, confirmed by the word of Pilate, he stands before us as the one without spot or blemish.

Again, he claims that the record he bears of himself is true. If it be not true, then we are shut up to one alternative, and that he was not, as Robert Ingersoll has admitted, "a good man," for a man is not good if he ever breathes falsehood.

He plainly states that he knows whence he came, and whither he goes (John 8:14), and who he is. Hear him as he says: "No man hath ascended up into heaven, but he that came down from heaven, even the Son of Man, which is in heaven" (John 3:13). To the woman of Samaria, who says: "I know that Messias cometh, which is called Christ," he replies: "or that speak unto thee am he" (John 4:25-26); and to the one born blind, whose eyes he had opened, he asked: "Dost thou believe on the Son of God?" To which the man once blind replied: "Who is he, Lord, that I might believe?" To which Jesus answered: "Thou hast both seen him, and it is he that speaketh unto thee" (John 9:35-37).

Count it a blessing when God delays the answer to your prayer in order to enlarge your capacity to receive.

The minimum wage of adult experienced women workers in Winnipeg in factories where food-stuffs other than candies are made, is not less than \$10 a week.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Miss Nora Bailey and brother Robert, of Morrisdale, were shopping in town yesterday.

William Boag, of Londman, is home from University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, for his Christmas vacation, and is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Clyde Staver.

Lois Fegley of Grampian was shopping in town today.

Abe Shapiro is home from Bellefonte to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shapiro on Cherry street.

Miss Lillian Moore arrived home last evening from Maryland College for her Christmas vacation.

Ike Robison will arrive home this evening from Cape May to spend a short furlough with his parents.

Misses Catherine Dimeling and Betty Weaver arrived home last evening from Bryn Mawr to spend Christmas with their parents.

Miss Corinne Roth of Curwensville is visiting at the home of Paul Kolbe.

Miss Estelle DeVinney left this morning to spend the week end with her parents at Kylesburg.

Ralph W. Baker, a student of the Theological Seminary, Gettysburg, is spending his holiday vacation with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Baker.

Cortez Bell, William Lertzinger and Frederick Kyper arrived home this morning from Ann Arbor, Michigan, for their Christmas vacation.

Ms. William Prosser and Mrs. John Eboch, of Philipsburg spent yesterday at the home of L. C. Mattern on Cherry street.

Frank Arnold of Curwensville transacted business in town today.

Dr. Ruben, the eye specialist of Harrisburg, is in town this week and stopping at the Dimeling.

Misses Gerda Peterson and Ethel Gustafson of Grassflat were shopping in town yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Weaver arrived home this morning from Goucher college for her Christmas vacation.

James McPherson arrived home from State College to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents.

Miss Caroline Hartman and brother Emory arrived home today from Ohio Wesleyan University to spend the Christmas vacation with their parents Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Hartman.

Mrs. Arthur Row left this morning for Cleveland, Ohio, where she will meet her husband and spend Christmas. After Christmas they will go to Canton, Ohio, where they will make their future home.

Henry Liveright is home from Lehigh college from his Christmas vacation.

Miss Anna Quiggle of Irvona, was shopping in our stores today.

Miss Lois Mather entertained last evening at her home on Daisy street in honor of five nephews of Uncle Sam, who have recently been mustered out.

The evening was spent in dancing and playing games. Dainty refreshments were served.

Ed. Dufrenoy is home from Camp Jackson, Fla., having been mustered out.

Mrs. E. M. Thompson of Curwensville, was shopping in town today.

Reilly Lytle arrived home this morning from Brooklyn, N. Y., to spend Christmas with his parents.

Miss Thelma Stewart of Woodland, who is home from Lock Haven for her Christmas vacation spent today with her grandmother Mrs. Ashley Stewart on Locust.

A. E. Mackie arrived home this morning from Great Lakes Training school to spend his Christmas vacation.

Mrs. R. D. Sipes was in town doing Christmas shopping today.

H. E. Clark of Glen Campbell, transacted business in town yesterday.

Miss Nan Fulford is home from Lebanon Valley college for her Christmas vacation.

Miss Elizabeth Zerfoss arrived home this morning from Randolph-Macon to spend Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George E. Zerfoss.

Yes, saw it in The Progress.

Look out for Spanish Influenza.

At the first sign of a cold take



Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—effective grip in 3 days—Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Felt's picture. At All Drug Stores.

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We Still Have Splendid Selections Of Holiday Gifts To Choose From



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Many Special Offerings Are Here

Our Christmas Specials For Monday Morning
From 9 to 12

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NO CHANGE IN THE PRICE OF NASH CAR

"There will be no changes in the prices of Nash passenger cars and trucks before July 1, 1919," is the statement made by President C. W. Nash to Nash distributors from all parts of the country in the plant at Kenosha. This is an indication that automobile prices in the first six months of 1919 will be maintained.

Developments indicate that the majority of the leading manufacturers will maintain their prices, particularly manufacturers who held prices down during the war. In most cases the reductions have been made by companies which, during the war period, made several advances in price.

The Nash Company during the war was on practically a 100 per cent. war basis and furnished the government only regular peace-time products of the Nash factory. Accordingly it is among those companies which are in a position to almost immediately resume quantity production of their own products for the general trade. In discussing his position on the price question President Nash said:

"It has always been my policy to cut manufacturing costs by efficient manufacturing methods, and to sell on a small profit on a volume production basis. This policy we adhered to throughout the war and are continuing the policy. The Nash products have not been overpriced. We made no raises on these products except those naturally brought about by refinements, improvements and just recognition of the prices of material and labor. Our margin of profit on the

complete Nash line is a small one and it is only by quantity production that we are in a position to market the material at these figures and remain here in business.

"Realizing this situation we have made the announcement to the public that there will be no changes in Nash prices before July 1, 1919. We make this announcement because of the uncertainty in the minds of some dealers and in the minds of the public brought about by the fact that some companies, which had made big raises in the prices of their products at the time that it seemed probable that there would be no passenger car production in 1919, with the changed conditions have readjusted their prices. The reports brought in by our distributors at their meeting indicate that there is great prosperity ahead for the automobile industry throughout the United States. Therefore we believe our factory, our distributors and our dealers are all in a position to reap their full share in the prosperity which the end of the war has brought to business generally."

CHRISTMAS CANDIES AT CROSS' THIRD STREET STORE

A fine line of Christmas candies and novelty at lowest cash prices at Cross' confectionery store. Some real bargains in Christmas candies. Drop in and look them over.

The oldest living woman in the world so far as is known, lives in Posen. She is 134 years of age, and her birth is substantiated by records. She was a young woman when Napoleon swept over Europe. At the time of her birth Frederick the Great was still alive and the United States had been born about eight years.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mann at their home on Ogden avenue this morning a son.

William Jones and Esther Haines, both of West Decatur, were married today by Rev. G. E. Smith at the Baptist parsonage, 307 Market street.

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